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application of:

Glen R. Sumner

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Title: Offshore Pipeline with

Waterproof Thermal Insulation

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Applicant, Glen R. Sumner, hereby submits the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Response to Restriction Requirement Mailed September 3, 1997;
- 2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(A);
- 3. Check in the amount of \$55.00; and
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The Commissioner is authorized to debit our deposit account no. 02-0840 for any underpayment of fees which may be due under 37 CFR §§ 1.16-1.17.

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